**Year 8 English Course Outline**

**Semester 1:**

**Term 1:**

“Reporting the News”

Writing Folio piece: persuasive and optional Oral Presentation

*Knowledge Quest*

Wide Reading Log

**Term 2:**

*Things a Map Won’t Show You*

Text Response and optional Writing Folio piece

**“**More Than One English”

Writing Folio piece and/or Oral Presentation?

*Knowledge Quest*

Wide Reading Log

**Semester 2:**

**Term 3:**

*Coraline*

Text Response and optional writing folio piece?

Fairy Tales Unit

Writing Folio piece and/or Oral Presetation?

*Knowledge Quest*

Wide Reading Log

**Term 4:**

*Edward Scissorhands*

Writing Folio piece and/or Oral Presentation

*Knowledge Quest*

Wide Reading Log